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LAST EDITION. STEERS' STEPS OUT.

The Chief Police Inspector Retires from the Service.

Capt. "Billy" McLaughlin Appointed an Inspector.

Command of the "Tenderloin" Precinct Falls to Capt. O'Connor.

At today's meeting of the Board of Police Chief Inspector Henry V. Steers applied to be retired.



HENRY V. STEERS.

The Board immediately granted the request, and he was retired on a pension of \$5,000 a year.

The members of the Board had not been apprised of Inspector Steers' determination to retire until half an hour prior to the meeting, which was convened at 11.30. Having had no intimation of the matter, the commissioners were greatly surprised, and each in turn called on Capt. Steers for an explanation, or, at least, some further information as to the reasons why the Chief Inspector should desire to be retired.

Inspector Steers is engaged and cannot see anybody at present.

Supt. Byrnes said to the Commissioners that the first intimation he had received of his intention was from the Chief Inspector himself this morning. "I am retired," said Steers, "in the hope that I may be able to do some good elsewhere."

The Superintendent said furthermore that when Inspector Steers broke the news to him he was so dumbfounded that he was for a moment speechless.

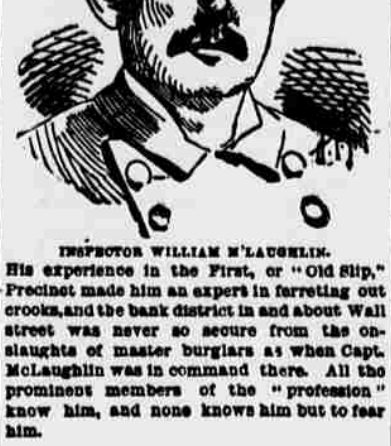
When the request for retirement was made, Commissioner McLean asked if there had ever been any charges preferred against Chief Inspector Steers. This query caused a broad smile to overspread the countenances of his contemporaries.

"Not in thirty-five years, the whole time in which he has served as a police officer," answered President Martin with more than usual emphasis.

A GANG OF BABY BURGLARS.

Skidsey, Google-Eye, Smush and Sissy in the Tombs.

They Were the "Moonlight Sneakers of Der Hook."



INSPECTOR WILLIAM McLAUGHLIN.

His experience in the First, or "Old Slip," Precinct made him an expert in ferreting out crooks, and the bank district in and about Wall street was never so secure from the onslaughts of master burglars as when Capt. McLaughlin was in command there. All the prominent members of the "profession" knew him, and none knew him but to fear him.

Previous to his promotion to a captaincy, Capt. McLaughlin was Superintendent, then Chief Inspector, Byrnes' right-hand man in the management of the Detective Bureau. During Capt. Murray's illness in October, 1930, Capt. McLaughlin was practically in command of the Central Office detectives, Inspector Byrnes' time being almost entirely occupied by the duties of Acting Superintendent.

On Supt. Murray's return to duty Capt. McLaughlin was returned temporarily to the Old Slip station, but shortly afterwards he was transferred to Kidder street, where he was in close communication with the new Superintendent. In the recent sweeping "shake-up" "Billy" landed in the "Tenderloin" or Nineteenth Precinct as the successor of Capt. Thomas Kelly, who succeeded to Capt. (now Inspector) Williams' command.

Since then Capt. McLaughlin has been in command at the West Thirtieth street station. He is popular with everybody except crooks. As he has long been recognized as Superintendent Byrnes' special protégé, and crime centered about him, he is a popular figure in the precinct.

Capt. Richard O'Connor is chiefly noted for his connection with ferreting out the East River Hotel, or "Jack the Ripper," murderer. That crime centered about him, and he was in command at the Oak street station-house. In the recent big shake-up he went to the West Thirtieth street station, where he has since remained.

He went to Oak street from East Eighty-eighth street station.

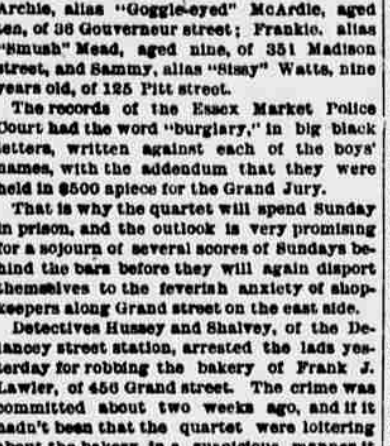
It proves a murder.

Jacob Miller Dies in Jail from a Beating Over a Woman.

MR. CLEVELAND'S BUSY DAY.

Conferring with State and National Democratic Chieftains.

Dates Fixed for Tammany Primaries and District Conventions.



MR. CLEVELAND.

Ex-President Cleveland had another busy morning today receiving callers at the Victoria Hotel. Visitors began to arrive and send up their cards as early as 9.30 o'clock.

Mr. Cleveland took breakfast in the dining-room, and then busied himself with his mail. His correspondence is enormous. This morning's letters filled a big mail bag. It was nearly 1 o'clock before Mr. Cleveland was ready to see visitors.

The ex-President has received many invitations of a social nature, but he has not decided to accept any. He will remain at the Victoria until his house, 13 West Fifty-first street, is ready for occupancy.

Senator David R. Hill is still at the Hotel Normandie. No one seems to know when he will meet Mr. Cleveland. This morning there was another conference between state leaders and the Senator in his room. The nomination of a candidate for Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals, which was postponed at the meeting of the State Committee last night, was under discussion.

Secretary David De Forest, of the State Committee, said the Committee had adjourned subject to the call of the chair and Chairman Murphy will call when a call for another meeting would be issued.

One of Senator Hill's callers was State Senator Alexander McDonald, editor of the Lynchburg, Va., Virginian. An intimate friend of Senator John W. Daniel, Senator Hill has accepted the invitation to speak in Lynchburg on Oct. 20.

Speaking of the situation in the Old Dominion, Mr. McDonald said:

"An exceedingly active canvass is going on in Lynchburg in regard to the election of a Senator to the United States. Senator Hill is a personal friend, Senator Daniel is a warm welcome and a great ovation."

STABBED BY A THIEF'S WIFE.

Shoemaker Levy Probably Fatally Wounded in His Store.

Frederick Levy, a shoemaker, thirty-four years old, is thought to be dying in Bellevue Hospital from the effects of two stab wounds in the left breast, inflicted by Margaret Geoghan while Levy was attempting to prevent her husband from stealing a pair of shoes from his store at 334 First Avenue.

Shortly before 10 o'clock this morning, the surgeons found that one of the stab wounds had penetrated the left lung in the vicinity of the heart, and the corner had been summoned to take the dying man's statement.

Both Margaret Geoghan and her husband, Patrick, have been arrested and are locked up in the East Twenty-second street station. Levy was quietly arranging the articles in his store this morning when Geoghan and her husband walked in and asked to see a pair of men's shoes.

Geoghan seated himself on a lounge, while his wife stood up, near a showcase. Levy brought out a pair of shoes and Geoghan placed them on his feet.

Levy said the price was 50 cents, but Geoghan said she was only willing to give 30 cents for the shoes and would take them at that price.

Levy declared that he could not afford to sell the shoes at a price lower than he had stated, and then Geoghan started for the door, followed by his wife. Levy grabbed Geoghan and insisted that she pay the price of the shoes.

A general fight followed in which Mrs. Geoghan took a hand. When she saw that her husband was being overpowered by the two men and prevented from escaping, she picked up a knife and pointed it at Levy.

Levy twice lunged at Geoghan and sank the knife into her side, at which time she fled to the door and disappeared. Though bleeding profusely from two wounds, Levy was taken to Bellevue Hospital, where he was found that one of the stab wounds was likely to cause the man's death from loss of blood.

Meanwhile, Acting Capt. Kelly hustled out Detective Timony in search of Levy's assailants. Ten minutes later Timony unshaken by the rain, returned with the woman, whom he found on Nineteenth street near Avenue A.

The complete first professional ignorance of the stabbing, but the woman finally admitted that she had stabbed him with a knife. A search of the man's pockets disclosed the shoemaker's knife with which the woman had done the stabbing. Detective Timony brought Geoghan and his wife around to Bellevue Hospital, where they were identified by Levy.

They will be arraigned in the Yorkville Police Court this afternoon.

FOUND A BABY STARVING.

Gerry Agents Have Two Pitiful Cases This Morning.

A two-year-old infant that Gerry's society agents found starving yesterday, at 633 West Sixteenth street, was this morning in Jefferson Market Court, committed to the care of the Sisters of St. Dominic.

The child had been left by its father in the care of a woman of the name of Gallagher. When the agents went after the boy the child's voice was almost inaudible, and at the sight of food it gurgled at it as a starving animal.

A seven-year-old girl, Hedwig Schultz, taken from 331 West Seventeenth street yesterday, where it was said she was left alone in a room from early morning until late at night, was also committed to the care of the Sisters of St. Dominic.

COOL WAVE ON TAP.

A cool wave will be placed on tap in Farmer Dunn's canteen in the Equitable Building this afternoon, and draughts from it will be turned on the town late this evening and tomorrow. They will be a bit frosty and may make shivers crawl up and down the backs of careless people who have not donned their blankets.

There will be a fair breeze just out from the north, and the big wind will be a welcome relief from the heat of the day.

WARRANT FOR W. M. HANDY.

His Father Declares It an Attempt to Blackmail.

It has just been learned that a warrant has been issued from the District Attorney's office for the arrest of W. M. Handy, son of Moses P. Handy, Chief of the Bureau of Promotion and Publicity of the World's Fair.

The charge preferred is the larceny of jewelry valued at \$200, and is brought by Mrs. Jessie Jackson, of this city.

Mrs. Jackson called at Police Headquarters yesterday and entered the complaint. She then went, accompanied by a confidential detective, to the District Attorney's office, where the papers were drawn up in the shape of a requisition for young Handy, who is supposed to be in Chicago.

WISCONSIN'S APPORTIONMENT.

Finally Declared Unconstitutional—Extra Session to Follow.

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 1.—Supreme Court today finally passed upon the recent apportionment act and declared it unconstitutional.

An extra session of the Legislature will be called.

Wife-Murderer Lynched.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 1.—J. W. Smith, the Shasta County wife-murderer, was taken from the south bound express by men at Castle Rock last evening, the sheriff being seconded by some of the party kept at the station covered, and the others took Smith a short distance away and hanged him to an oak tree.

Butchery in a Collision.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Sept. 1.—A freight and cattle train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad came into collision early this morning on tracks of the Jersey Central Railroad, between Somerville and Harrison, N. J.

Several head of cattle were killed and a large number of injured cattle wandered over the rails. Several cars were wrecked and traffic was delayed for some hours.

Slain by the Steward.

The Chinaman Who Murdered Capt. Buckley a Suicide.

Smith & Co., 41 South street, agents of the bark William Hales, on which Capt. George Buckley and his wife were murdered while the vessel was at sea from this port to Cape Town, South Africa, received another cablegram from the United States Consul at Cape Town today.

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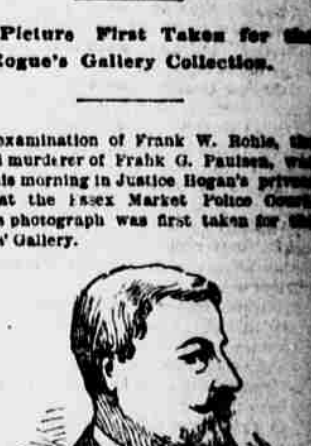
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LAST EDITION. SURE IT WAS ROHLE.

Paulsen's Supposed Murderer Examined in Court.

Positively Identified by the State Man's Landlord.



THE MURDERER OF FRANK W. ROHLE.

The examination of Frank W. Rohle, the alleged murderer of Frank G. Paulsen, was held this morning in Justice Hogan's private room at the Essex Market Police Court. Rohle's photograph was first taken for the Rogues' Gallery.

The first witness called was a woman, whom Paulsen rented the room where he was killed, at 130 Heister street.

Burns told practically the same story printed yesterday in The Evening World, with the exception of the added statement that he saw Rohle knock on Paulsen's door, and then go into the room.

Burns said he was standing in the hall waiting for his wife to come home. The door of his apartment was locked. Burns said he did not go in until Mrs. Burns returned with her key.

Burns positively identified Paulsen as a man whom he had seen go into Paulsen's room. When he saw the man, Burns said, he heard the noise which made him look out of the door.

Capt. Cross, of the Kidder street station, then presented a statement in writing which corroborated her husband's testimony. "Capt. Cross' statement was preliminary to all the evidence taken. It was a positive statement that he saw Rohle knock on Paulsen's door, and that he saw Rohle enter the room. He related in the subsequent testimony."

Mrs. Anna Burns, wife of the first witness, identified Rohle as the man she saw running towards the doorway just after Paulsen was killed. She said she saw Rohle enter the room. When she pointed to the prisoner he said: "You never saw me before in your life."

When Burns pointed him out as the man who entered Paulsen's room, Rohle looked at his feet and shouted: "Do you positively identify me? Will you swear to that?"